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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE:**

In re Appln. of: **Paul F.L. Weindorf**  
 Appln. No.: **09/939,267**  
 Filed: **August 23, 2001**  
 For: **SERIES LED BACKLIGHT CONTROL CIRCUIT**

Examiner: **Leonid Shapiro**  
 Art Unit: **2673**

Attorney Docket No: **10541-466**

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 P. O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

**Attached is/are:**

- ☒ Reply Under 37 CFR 1.111; Declaration of Paul F.L. Weindorf and attached Exhibits A and B.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

In response to the Office Action mailed October 20, 2005; Applicant respectfully submits this paper comprising the following parts:

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| II. | Remarks                  | Page 7 |

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